## Memorandum

**To:** Planning Commission

**From:** Jeff Churchill, AICP, Principal Transportation Planner

**Date:** July 20, 2016

**Subject:** Redmond Community Indicators 2016

In late June the City published *Redmond Community Indicators 2016*, the eleventh edition of *Redmond Community Indicators*. A summary of this year's findings was published in the summer edition of *Focus on Redmond* magazine and all data is available exclusively online at <a href="https://www.redmond.gov/CommunityIndicators">www.redmond.gov/CommunityIndicators</a>. Staff will brief the Planning Commission on this year's report at the Commission's July 20, 2016 meeting.

Significant credit for this year's update goes to Eric Crowell, a long-range planning intern who has since taken a full-time planning job with the City of Yakima. The report would not have come together without his diligent work.

Both the *Community Indicators* and the City's Budgeting by Priorities (BP) Dashboard Measures are tools used to assess progress toward achieving community goals. The *Community Indicators* are oriented toward Redmond's Comprehensive Plan, which contains the long-term vision for the community. BP Dashboard Measures are oriented toward the City's biennial budget and are organized around six community priorities. The two tools use the same measures as much as possible, and so the City publishes them together.

Staff encourages Commissioners to browse <a href="www.redmond.gov/CommunityIndicators">www.redmond.gov/CommunityIndicators</a> in advance of the meeting.

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